which, being of effective strength, contained residuum in smallest quantity. In these baking powders sold in this State the following percentages of residuum or inert matter wers found:

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Take for instance the two first named of passengers and another with the powders—the Royal and Cleveland's, fur wraps, coats, caps, etc. Some of The inert matter or residuum found in the caps were large enough to place on Cleveland's is seen to be 3 in 7 more the top of the Bennington Battle Monu-

at of other is very marked. Seated in an exm, etc. press train and moving swift'y over a
press train and the traveller enjoys all
the pressure without. The second class cars
are crowded, resembling the trains out
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The nature of the residuum bears directly upon the question of health. That in Royal is declared by the Commission to be perfectly harmiess. In the case of the perfectly harmiess, in the case of the alum powders it is considered hurtful, yet the amount found in three of the cream of tartar powders—the Cieveland, Dr. Price's and Sterling—averaged about the same as that in the Crystal, an alum, in the phosphate powders the inert matter is exceedingly entire weight.

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